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A MURDEROUS GANG.

SEVERAL OLD MEN MEET THEIR DEATH.

A Gang Who are Either Fiends or Fools—Men Murdered and Laid on Railway Tracks—Attempts to Wreck Trains—No Clue to the Law Breakers.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Oct. 20.—Considerable excitement has been caused in Reidsville, a tobacco town in Western North Carolina, on account of continual reports of murder at a point three miles from a town known as Mizpah Switch. Some time ago a Richmond and Danville train was wrecked at this point by the switch being misplaced by two fiends. Sydney Lee, a brakeman, was killed. Detectives were called in to ferret out the wreckers, but discovered nothing. Pinkerton men were sent there, but they, too, failed. Two weeks ago an old man, named Witcher, was murdered at the spot where the wreck occurred. Witcher's little boy was with him at the time. The boy says that as his father was walking along, two men with sheets tied around their head, came out of the woods and asked his father if he had any money, and when he replied that he had not they hit him with a club and knocked his brains out. The boy ran home and roused the neighbors. The old man's body was terribly mangled, and had been thrown across the track. At this point there is a curve, and it is impossible to see the track over one hundred feet ahead. A freight train had passed over the body while the boy was away, but the body plainly showed signs that a knife had been used. Since that time regularly every week some poor fellow shares the same fate as Witcher. Jonathan Robins was the next. His body was found about half a mile further down in a gully, a knife sticking in his body. Joe Turner, Sam Houston and Rufus Martin have all served as subjects for these murderers. All efforts so far to capture them have proven futile.

Judge Gresham gets the Offer.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—A special from Chicago to the World says: "A rumor was current about the clubs and hotels to-night to the effect that Judge Walter O. Gresham had been appointed to fill the vacancy on the supreme bench caused by the death of Justice Miller. The rumor was finally traced to a gentleman who said that Judge Gresham had received a dispatch from Washington asking him if he would be willing to accept the office, and saying it would be given him if he desired it. The informant reluctantly said this much, and declined to give further particulars. Mrs. Gresham was found at the Palmer House, but the judge had gone to his farm in the country to spend Sunday, and his wife said she knew nothing of the rumor or offer.

A San Antonio Defaulter.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—A special to the World from San Antonio, Texas, says: A sensation developed in business and political circles here to-day when the fact became public that J. H. Bolton, member of the board of aldermen of the city, had fled with about $2,000, which he secured, it is alleged, by various fraudulent means. Bolton had been engaged in the furniture business here for several years, and about three week ago made an assignment, when his liabilities were found to be much in excess of his assets. Shortly after making the assignment he opened an account with the Maverick Bank here, where he made numerous small deposits, and finally, according to the statement of the president of the bank, overdrew his account $4,000. At the Texas National Bank of this city he secured, by fraudulent paper, it is said, $2,500. He also obtained $1,000 from City Assessor Frash, $5,000 from M. J. Kuhn, and other larger sums, so it is alleged, from various parties. In addition to these, he sold two lots belonging to Laredoman for $1,200, and took that sum with him. He is also alleged to have absconded with several thousand dollars belonging to three secret society organizations, of which he was treasurer. He was also behind $2,000 with his creditors. Bolton left the city quietly two weeks ago, and is known to have been in San Francisco a week ago. He came to this city from Australia, and it is believed that he has departed for that country. He leaves a wife and several children here.

Member of Suicide Club Suicides.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—A special to the World from Bridgport, Con., says: "Daniel T. Cowell, a member of the suicide club, killed himself Friday night. He was a Confederate sharpshooter during the war, and recently had expressed regret at picking off so many Union soldiers.

Sporting Man Dead.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 20.—A despatch was received in Boston late last night from a small town near El Paso, Texas, announcing the death of Jere Dunn, the widely known sporting man. None of Dunn's friends in this city could verify the report.

Murder and Suicide.

BOSTON, Oct. 20.—Daniel H. Wilson, aged 43, this morning shot and killed his wife, aged 20, and then attempted suicide. It is thought he will die. Despondency caused by sickness is said to have been the cause.

Broke Jail.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Oct. 20.—Six desperate men broke jail here last night by sawing of the bars in the upper story and lowering themselves by a sheet to the ground.

A Steamboat Burnt.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Word has just been received of the burning of the steamer Annie Young, of Lexington, Michigan. Nine lives are reported to have been lost.

LINCOLN, Neb. 16.—The Adventist colony here is still without tidings of Elder A. J. Cudney, who left Lincoln in the spring of 1888 to go as a missionary to Pitcairn Islands, and they fear that he has either been shipwrecked or eaten by cannibals. His friends have been making appropriations for a search expedition, and the vessel appropriately named the Pitcairn has [illegible] sail next Monday from that port in Elder E. H. Gates, of Denver, and a cruise in the South Pacific will be made in search of the missing missionary. The vessel will touch at all the islands where he could have been shipwrecked. If he cannot be found Elder Gates will stay at Pitcairn to carry out the work assigned Elder Cudney.

EDISON'S LATEST.

A Practical Air-Ship—New Metal for Telegraph Wires.

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—One of Edison's assistants says that the Wizard has declared his intention to equip an air-ship which will admit of practical utility for ærial travel.

Another idea which, if perfected, will revolutionize the telegraphic world, is undergoing experiments by Mr. Edison. The new discovery consists of a combination of metals known only to the inventor, which will, by connection with terra firma, carry sound, and form a great permanent connection, which obviates the necessity of a telegraph wire being run double between two cities in order to make a circuit. The idea seems quite feasible. Mr. Edison has already conducted his experiments on this idea to such an extent that by standing out of ordinary hearing distance one can distinctly hear the faintest whisper.

A HEALTHIER STATE.

Trade and Traffic of the Past Month Much Improved.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—A still more pronounced gain in the volume of trade distribution is indicated by a special telegram to Bradstreets. This week reports of an enlarged trade in dry goods and clothing, boots and shoes and groceries and manufactures of iron and steel come from all points west and south and southwest, but notably from Chicago, Cincinnati, Toledo, St. Louis, Dalles, and New Orleans, while at St. Joseph, Houston, Philadelphia and Boston, the movement is of large and satisfactory proportions. Leather is steady in most markets, which with a further accumulation of rough grades. Receipts of cattle and hogs at Omaha and Kanas city are small and prices are up ten cents. Iron and steel are steady and unchanged in the eest while active and tending upwards in the west except for Lake Superior pig iron. Collections rule fair to good. The paper trade is active and production is increasing. Spruce and pine lumber is one dollar off, caused by the removal of the Canadian export tax. Dealers in Maine ice have lost money this year. Liquidation of foreign holdings of American stocks caused a further decline in the share values but at the close of the week speculations assumed a stronger tone and an advancing tendency. Railway earnings for August make a poor showing, reflecting unfavorable on the influences of low rates and large operating expenses and a backward movement or reduced yield of wheat and corn in producing sections. The total net earnings of 103 roads for August, aggregate $19,792,203 a decrease from August of last year. The cotton mills are busy and goods are generally in good position. Print cloths are the only goods in unsatisfactory shape. Prices are unchanged. Men's wear and woollen manufacturers are well supplied with orders for light weights, and wholesale clothiers have had a good year. The cloak trade has opened well, and work is less active but still moves freely in all markets. It is a sellers' market and prices are strong. The week's Liverpool and Continental advices with freer receipts have depressed cotton values one sixteenth this week, offsetting the rumors of frost damage to the growing plant. Speculation was active at the decline, and good crop reports increased the receipts, and long selling had depressed wheat and corn early in the week, but the loss was regained later on. Light receipts, wet weather, better cables and short covering put oats up 13 cents on the week. Speculation in New York was very light. The increase of available wheat last week was 2,355,163 bushels. Hog products were dull and weak early in sympathy with grain, but strengthened later on. Smaller receipts at the west. Raw sugar is 1½ cents higher on large melting, light receipts and rapidly decreasing stocks, which are now so small as to restrict business. Refined is unchanged. There was a lull in the foreign trade in August. The total was six per cent. less than in August, 1889. Eight months' trade is five per cent. ahead of last year's. Business failures reported to Bradstreets number 177 in this week against 183 last week, and 205 this week last year. Canada had 29 this week against 30 last week. The total number of failures in the United States from Jan. 1 to date were 7985, against 8942 in a like portion of 1889.

Salmon Shipments.

Salmon canners and shippers, like everyone else, are beginning to use steamers in place of the sailing ships, for sending their goods to foreign ports. Last year at this time four or five ships had taken their departure for the old country with salmon against two this year. The railroads and steamers, however, have come in for the balance, the N. P. R., C. P. R., Union Pacific, and the Pacific Coast S. S. companies having already taken away shipments. They have not cleaned it up yet, and a couple of ships will very likely load before the end of the year. The City of Puebla will take on 13,000 cases tomorrow for Australia via San Francisco.

Fifty-eight pieces linoleums, latest designs in all widths and qualities, just arrived at John Weiler's.

See Jameson's advertisement of Christie's choice kinds of celebrated biscuits. His object is to sell the best fresh groceries in the market. oc11-tf

HOME AND FOREIGN.

BURCHELL'S BROTHER ASKS THE CROWN FOR MERCY.

He Says the Murder Resulted from a Quarrel—An M. P's Opinion of British Columbia—Another Shot Taken at the Czar—Gladstone in Scotland.

BERLIN, Oct. 20.—The Volksblatt, the organ of the German socialists, says it has been decided to hold an international labor congress in Brussels in August, 1891.

Shaking.

LISBON, Oct. 20.—A slight shock of earthquake has been felt here.

British Occupancy.

LISBON, Oct. 20.—The Governor of Mozambique has notified the Government that the British South Africa Company has occupied Mutassa Andea.

Spies Arrested.

PARIS, Oct. 20.—The Petit Journal announces the arrest at Belfort barracks of one of the guard and his sister, who are charged with being German spies.

In Midlothian.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone left here to-day for Scotland. Gladstone will make an oratorical tour of the Midlothians.

One for the Czar.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—The Chronicle's Warsaw correspondent says reports are afloat of a futile attempt to shoot the Czar, but they are unconfirmed.

Centenary Celebration.

PARIS, Oct. 20.—The centenary of Alphonse Lamartine was celebrated at Macon yesterday by great rejoicing. Jules Simon and many other distinguished persons were present. Copies of verses written for the occasion were recited by a representative of the author, who was indisposed.

IN THE PATHS OF SIN.

Prominent Montreal Pastor Expelled—Convicted of Seduction.

MONTREAL, Oct. 14.—Religious and social circles were shocked to-day when it was known that one of the most popular and polished clergymen in Montreal has been leading a double life and at last his disgrace has come. Rev. Alfred B. Cruchet last summer appeared in a French Canadian village and introduced himself as Mr. Benjamin, being accompanied by a girl of twenty years. He left the woman behind and the other day a child was born. Cruchet has confessed his wrong and will accept his punishment quietly. His sentence is expulsion from the Presbyterian church.

THE CAPITAL.

The New Militia Commander—Letter from Burchell's Brother.

OTTAWA, Oct. 20.—Col. Herbert is expected to leave England for Canada on the 15th, to take charge of the Canadian militia.

Mr. Hesson, M.P., arrived to-day from a trip to the Pacific coast. He is loud in his praises of the great advances he noticed in British Columbia, the Northwest and Manitoba since his visit four years ago.

Bryce Douglas had an interview with Mr. Foster to-day, regarding the fast Atlantic line of steamers.

Messrs. Thompson, Bowell, Chapleau, Colby and Foster left to-day for Montreal, to attend the banquet to Mr. Caron by the militia of that district.

Oswald Burchell, brother of the condemned man, has written a long letter from England to the Governor-General, praying for the clemency of the Crown in his brother's case, on the ground that while admitting Reginald Burchell's rascality, he did not murder Benwell, but killed him as the result of a quarrel.

BEATS A DIME NOVEL TALE.

A Reformatory With Walls as Bad as No Walls at All, to the Caffire Boys.

Another chapter has been reached in the career and adventures of the now famous Caffire boys, and with it is told another instance of the glaring insecurity of that department of the Topaze avenue institution devoted to juvenile male criminals. Once before a child, a clever one, it is true, but still only a child, outwitted a man of years and experience, and escaped from this establishment that should hold its tenants as those of the grave are held. But the boy got away, and the wily jailer was left in the lurch. He successfully eluded his pursuers, took his brother with him and departed for the domains of Uncle Sam, where the twain lived for a while. Taking it into their heads to visit home again, they did so, and the escaped one was recaptured on his arrival. He took up again his quarters with his brother who remained in prison, after which it was thought sufficient care and caution would be exercised to put an end to their adventures till their term of imprisonment had expired.

Youthful brains are active, though, and boys are not dunces. The Caffire boys bided their time, and an opportunity presented itself. It came Saturday in the shape of a qantity of lumber that was brought into the prison yard and piled up alongside the fence. The lads beheld it and hope sprang up in their hearts as they built airy castles of escape. Immured with the Caffire boys was another named Sellick. The trio worked together, and union, even with boys, means strength, if not success.

Mrs. Sellick completed the opportunity only half presented by the lumber, by calling to see her boy, Sunday. The jailer and she engaged in an interesting conversation which absorbed all their spare attention. They noticed not that the little ones were practising acrobatic feats with the lumber. When the adults paid no attention to them they felt hurt, and determined to turn their backs upon them forever.

A piece of lumber was silently reared against the fence and a nimble form clambered to the top. Willing hands were silently stretched to those below, and the trio were triumphantly perched aloft. As the novelists say: To drop [illegible] the work of a [illegible] but the boys dropped to the outside foot of the fence; and here the story ends till further details come to light.

An immediate search was instituted, with no success up to the time of going to press. The runaways have doubtless taken to the woods and will hold out as long as their appetites will allow them. No trace of their having gone near home has been found, and all means of exit by the regular steamboats has been cut off.

BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

W. T. Drake has removed his coal office to near James Bay Bridge.

Several colored miners who were at work at the Union mines, have gone to Wellington to work.

The weather yesterday was rather mixed, but the afternoon sunshine brought out a lot of people.

Hilbert's boot and shoe stock at 74 Yates street must be sold regardless of cost. tf

The year's salmon pack on the Fraser is pretty well finished up. The Titania will be ready for sea in about ten days from date.

The first consignment of raw material for the Vancouver sugar refinery is expected by the s.s. Straits of Bell Isle, now due from China.

Don't fail to attend the clearing sale of boots and shoes at Hilbert's 74 Yates street. tf

Mr. J. G. Brown, the popular baritone, was on Saturday presented with a bouncing baby daughter, who gives every promise of having come to stay.

A new Masonic Hall is to be built at Comox. The building is to be erected at the junction of the Union Mine and Comox roads, near the Courtenay river bridge.

The pleasant voice of Stevedore Broderick will again be heard along the dock as he has the unloading of the Brodick Bay to look after and will very likely load her with salmon.

The Jubilee Range is sold only by McLennan & McFeety, 70 Yates street.

The street committee met this afternoon and discussed the several disputes between the street car company and the corporation. Their report will be submitted to the council at the regular meeting.

The run of cohoe salmon continues very good in the Fraser, and all the boats at work average about 100 fish daily; but they only fish half-time, as the market for salmon is very limited at present.

The first rehearsal of Robt. Macaire, which is to be produced by the members of the Y. M. L. in aid of the new cathedral, will be held at the Bishop's palace Tuesday evening. A full attendance is requested.

Gum Boots, Rubbers, Arctics, &c., for everybody, at Erskine's, 132 Government street, corner Johnson.

The Provincial Government has just completed the bridge over the Lillooet river, on the line between townships 9 and 12. The entire length of the bridge is 262½ feet, and it is a great convenience to the settlers.

A large sign adorns the front of the City Hall which states in big letters that "the British Columbia Art Association's Exhibition is now open." The sign is calculated to mislead strangers and it would be better if it were removed.

A lad at Westminster was stabbed severely on Saturday while playing marbles. He had been stooping down, and as he straightened up quickly his back came in contact with an open knife held by a playmate, and a deep cut was inflicted.

If you want to get bargains in shoes, come while the stock is assorted at 74 Yates street. tf

"Her mad Love" by Gerald Carlton (Victoria—J. R. Ker & Co.,) is a fascinating psychological novel of to-day. The character of a young girl, mad at intervals, is made the centre of an ingenious and absorbing plot. The book comes in a paper cover and will repay a perusal.

The Union Colliery Company have decided to erect a large hotel at Union close to the Lake and saw mill. The building will be a commodious one, with over 20 rooms. The work on this structure will be commenced as soon as the site is cleared and the ground prepared. Probably in the course of a few weeks.

Many of the Indians who went down to the Sound a few weeks ago to work in the hop fields are returning home with their pockets filled with money. The most of them made good average wages, and are now engaged in expending the result of their labors in a supply of food and clothing to last them through the winter.

Captain Norman of the Titania had a narrow escape of his life at Westminster the other night. Returning to the ship at about eleven o'clock he walked over the edge of the wharf, a few feet from the scene of the recent fatal accident. He received a severe shaking up and had the skin peeled off his shins, besides some painful bruises from striking against the jagged slabs in the dead fall.

Subtilties.

A movement is under way in New York to erect a monument to the memory of Stephen C. Foster, the country's greatest ballad writer, two of whose compositions, "The Old Folks at Home" and "Suwanee River," are known wherever the English language is spoken. The idea is excellent, and deserves general co-operation.—Troy Times.

"Two of whose compositions" is good; almost as good as Horace Greeley's famous denunciation of young men who wasted their substance in drinking "champagne and Heidsick."

THE DELEGATES DINED

BY THE CORPORATION OF VICTORIA AT THE DRIARD

Their Views of Canada From Impressions Gained—Its Capabilities and Resources Offer a Great Future—The Premier's View of the McKinley Bill.

As soon as the regular dinner of the Driard guests was over, one half of the dining room was set apart for that [illegible] of the city. It was more like a party of old-time friends and acquaintances who sat round the tables, than a conventional affair carried out in a conventional manner. This was due in a large measure to the open-hearted hospitable spirt of Mayor Grant, whose genial face graced the top of the table, and who always makes an admirable host or president. On his right hand were Mr. Simmonds, Col. Prior, M.P., and Hon. John Robson, Premier, while on his left were Mr. Wood, Mr. Thomas Earle, M.P., Hon. J. H. Turner, M.P.P., and Mr. Godson. Mr. Robert Ward Mr. Eberts and Mr. F. S. Barnard, M.P., Alds. Harrison, Holland and Robertson were also present. It was the intention to afford the guests every pleasure and gratification, and in the effort the part played by the Driard chef was not the least creditable. When that great man's part had been fully criticised and discussed, to the evident satisfaction of those present,

Mayor Grant proposed the usual loyal toast, which was royally honored. He then read letters and telegrams of regret from His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Hon. Robert Beaven, Hon. Theo. Davie and others.

The toast of the evening, "Our Guests," was the next item on the programme. In proposing it, His Worship said they had met this evening for the purpose of welcoming a deputation from the mother land, and although it was proverbial with the people of B.C. to extend a cordial welcome to visitors coming to see them from abroad, he was sure that to this delegation coming from the old country (from which most of us have sprung) would be extended a more than usually hearty welcome. This deputation is a most important one in more ways than one, representing as it does the Rose, the Shamrock and the Thistle, aye and even the tricolor of La Belle France. (Cheers.) He had no doubt that the gentlemen composing that deputation had been impressed with the importance and extent of this Dominion beyond their expectations, and that from the impressions gained in their journeyings, across this vast country they would be enabled to place before their countrymen at home such reports as would put this Dominion in a true light before the people of the mother country. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Wood, responding to the toast, remarked that in every Canadian city which they had visited they had been received with the greatest kindness, cordiality and hospitality, but in none more so than in this English city of Victoria (hear, hear). Everything had been done calculated to make their visit pleasant, and no effort had been spared in affording them the best and fullest information possible of the country's capabilities and resources. It was all very well for the Canadian government to have paid agents in various points of the old country, but he hoped those present would not consider him egotistical when he ventured to state that the report which this deputation would give of their investigations would tend to do Canada more good than the efforts of all the paid agents put together. The people at home, he thought, had full confidence in the members of the delegation, and their statements would not be without fruit. Their responsibility was a serious one. In travelling over Canada he had been impressed with one thing, and that was, unless old country people were prepared to come out here to work and rough it, they had better stay at home; they were not wanted here. The deputation would advise only such men to come, and if they had a little capital, so much the better. If ranching were desired, the delegation knew where to send settlers; if they are agriculturists, the delegation knew the best wheat growing centre; if they are fruit growers, there is no better centre than British Columbia, and if they are mixed agriculturists the delegation were in a position to direct them. There were one or two things which struck him, Mr. Wood, in regard to the lines on which farming is carried on in this country. He thought if ranching is to be done on a scale to pay, the English market is to be catered to. From what he had seen of horse raising he thought the people started on the wrong lines. Horses could readily be raised here with our land and climate, worth a great deal more in the English market than at present. The same applied to cattle raising, for until Canadian stock raisers produce better stock it was hopeless their expecting to draw the English gold to which this country is entitled as one of the favorite colonies. Manitoba is a huge wheat growing district, where the people grow nothing but wheat year after year, with now and then a summer fallow, whereas they might, if they studied their future interests, go a little more into mixed farming. Referring to the experiments being made in the production of fruits suitable to the different climates, Mr. Wood believed that British Columbia has a grand future for this industry. We have now a huge fish canning industry; he looked forward to the time when the fruit canning industry of this province will be equally large. He could see that there is room for the employment of a large amount of capital in British Columbia to develop this industry. The deputation had found that there was no comparison between the canned fruits of Canada and those of California. He hoped this industry would spring into life, for it was certainly more gratifying to the people of England to see their gold going into the colonies than to the United States. Mr. Wood remarked that since he had entered the Dominion he had everywhere found the people contented, independent and happy; and in only one case had he discovered a wish on the part of a farmer to return to the old land. This independence, energy and enterprise was very gratifying, as one is not accustomed to see it developed among the same class at home. The mineral wealth of the country, both on this and the other side of the Rookies, he would not begin to speak of—it is unknown. He regretted the devastation by fire of so much valuable lumber, which will [illegible]

Col. Prior spoke briefly, assuring the delegates of a hearty welcome to British Columbia, and predicting important and beneficial results from their visit to this province in particular and to Canada in general.

Mr. Murphy, with true Hibernian humor, remarked that they started out with very little knowledge of Canada, only to find the people here much in the same condition. (Laughter.) Seriously, they didn't seem to know the boundless wealth and resources of the [illegible] ing to the McKinley bill, the speaker looked upon it not as an injury, but as a boon to Canada. It would make her more self-reliant and would cause her to seek a market where she ought naturally to turn—Britain.

Hon. John Robson spoke to the toast, remarking that the chairman, his worship, in proposing it, had very truly referred to the present occasion as one of very great importance to British Columbia. They had among them gentlemen from the three parts of that motherland—Englishmen, Scotchmen and Irishmen—in whom they recognized level-headed men of ability, discretion and keen observation. They welcomed such men to British Columbia. There was just one disappointment on this joyous occasion. The British Farmers' delegates were situated something like many other notable people who pass through Canada. They are pressed for time. The honorable gentleman observed this with regret. Mr. Murphy had come to the conclusion that we know nothing of our own country—this is pre-eminently so in regard to British Columbia. Mr. Robson had been here for 31 years, and his knowledge of the country was exceedingly circumscribed. They had a country of magnificent capabilities, though rough exterior, and notwithstanding the limited knowledge obtained of it, people here are justified in saying that this Province is destined to be the banner, he was going to say the "boss" Province in the Dominion of Canada. (Cheers). We have in our mountains, boundless, untold wealth; we have rich agricultural lands capable of feeding a very large population, although not claiming to be an agricultural country for export purposes. But then she could supply a very large market with fruit and fish, while her timber wealth had not been touched yet. He considered that British Columbia, situated geographically as it is on the shores of the Pacific; and possessing as it does such a variety of wealth, is bound to become one of the greatest manufacturing countries in the world. In the words of Sir Charles Dilke, it is destined to become the "Greater Britain" of America. The speaker came to refer to the recent legislation of the United States, and said that the McKinley bill, "that narrow-minded measure," is destined to do Canada good. "I regard the McKinley bill as Canada's opportunity. If Canada is capable of rising to the occasion, and acting in a self-reliant, manly, plucky way by launching out in a policy that will open up those boundless markets on the other side of the Atlantic, we shall realize that the McKinley bill is Canada's opportunity. But in carrying out a measure of this kind, the old country should stand at our back. If she sees her boy Canada launch out like this, it should excite her admiration and enlist her sympathy." The speaker referred to the line shortly to be established between this country and Asia, and also that intended to shorten the time and distance on the Atlantic ocean which will bring us within ten days' time of the mother land. The Canadian Pacific Railway was not a colonial but a national enterprise, and England's encouragement of these enterprises would do more to bring about Imperial federation in fact than anything else. (Hear, hear.) He was glad to see that the delegation would carry away with them the idea that British Columbia had no room for pauper immigrants. We have room for people of the right kind, hard-working, enterprising capitalist farmers, mechanics and farm laborers. But to send an undesirable class would be a cruelty to the men themselves, and an injustice to the country. In commerce let there be established a policy of union between Canada and the mother country, so that both will be mutually benefitted, and that will make Imperial federation in the strongest sense (hear, hear).

Mr. Brown followed with a brief humorous speech, and Hon. J. H. Turner spoke of the early days when this place was so difficult to get at. Of all the places in the world in which he would like to live he selected British Columbia and England, with a leaning towards the old land.

Mr. Robert Ward, president of the Board of Trade, was sure that the information acquired by the delegation could not but result beneficially to this province. We must, though, have more close relationship with our neighbors on the other side of the border. In saying this he did not mean to suggest anything like annexation, but we want a larger field for our products, our fish, our coal and our lumber, and until we get that larger outlet our prosperity in these particular branches will not attain to what it ought to be. It was very necessary to have some more intimate trade relations between this country and the United States to bring this about. The McKinley bill affected us very little on this side of the Dominion. The mother country should certainly encourage her colonies but he must candidly acknowledge that Canada is wont to expect too much from her.

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Mothers!

Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhoea and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothe the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mothers' friend. 35 doses, 35 cents.

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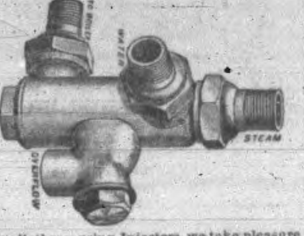

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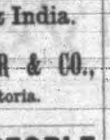

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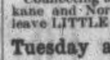

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THE DELEGATES DINED.

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[illegible] rather the theory of imperial federation. Mr. Morgan, M.P., who was recently here, suggested the establishment of some differential duties as against foreign countries and in favor of Great Britain, which would open the markets of these two countries to each other, and do more to establish Imperial federation than any amount of talk.

Messrs. Campbell, R. P. Rithet, Jessop and Simmons made a few remarks, and after the health of the chairman had been honored, the gathering dispersed, singing "Auld Lang Syne."

The following is the personnel of the delegation:

John Spier, Glasgow, Scotland, represents the south of Scotland. He is chairman of the School Board, director of the Glasgow Agricultural Society, and a director of the Highland and Agricultural Society. He is land valuator for Lord Douglas and Lord Sholto Douglas, and also agricultural adviser to the Scottish Grains Company.

George Brown, Caithness, Scotland, represents the north of Scotland. He has acted as assessor and valuator on the Crofters's Commission. He is a Justice of the Peace and secretary of the Caithness Agricultural Society.

E. R. Murphy, of Tralee, Ireland, represents the south of Ireland. He is a well known representative man. He is chairman of the Tralee Board of Guardians and sits on the Tralee Board of Harbor Commissioners.

William Edward, of Bathafarh farm, Ruthvin, represents north Wales. He has filled many positions in connection with agriculture, and holds a Royal Agricultural Society certificate for the best managed farm.

Col. Francis Fane Fulbeck, of Grantham, Lincolnshire, represents Lincolnshire and the neighboring counties. He has been for eighteen years a member of the council of the Lincolnshire Agricultural Society, and is also president of the Newark (Nottingham) Agricultural Society. He is a local banker as well as a practical farmer.

Arthur Daniels, of Bucklesham Hall, near Ipswick, represents Norfolk and Suffolk.

Geo. Hutchinson, of Penrith, Cumberland, represents the north of England. He was out as a delegate in 1879.

Major D. W. Stevenson is representative of the north divison of Ireland. He farms 120 acres near Londonderry, and also controls about 200 acres of grazing lands in the County of Westmeath. He is engaged in the grain trade and is interested in the Irish fisheries. He is secretary of the Irish Industrial League, of the Irish Fair Trade League and of the Irish Colonial Federation League, whose object, the Major explained, was to educate the Irish people on fiscal matters, with a view to the ultimate federation of Ireland with the other British colonies, when Ireland may procure an independent government and the right to develop her industrial resources. Major Stevenson, in addition to the report on the agricultural resources of Canada, will prepare a further report on the mining, manufacturing and fishing resources of this country.

Wm Pitt is an extensive farmer near Illumater, Eng.

H. Simmons, Reading, Eng., represents Berkshire interests. He is a member of the Royal Agricultural Society, of the Bath and Western Agricultural Society, and of the British Dairy Farmers' Association. He is resident agent in Berkshire for Mr. John Walter, of the London Times. He is therefore a man of wide experience, although he has never been in Canada before.

W. Scotson is an extensive farmer in the vicinity of Liverpool, and is connected with a number of public institutions.

J. T. Wood, of Lancashire, is the representative of north-western England.

M. Foursin is from the Paris vicinity, but as he has a very limited knowledge of English, his journey is consequently rather a lonely one, although a member of as jovial a party as ever traveled in Canada.

A FAVORABLE IMPRESSION

Gained by the Delegates From a Visit to Several Saanich Farms.

Bright and early the farmer delegates were out yesterday morning on their tour of inspection and pleasure. His Worship Mayor Grant, Col. Prior, M. P., Thos. Earle, M. P., William Dalby, Ald. Holland, D. Kerr, and Mr. Eberts (of Eberts & Taylor) were on hand with carriages. Saanich was the point in view and a very enjoyable drive was made to that rising district. On arrival the delegates visited a number of farms and inspected the system of working, with which they seemed gratified. Questions were asked and answered, by which much valuable information was gleaned.

The party dined at Henderson's Mount Vernon Hotel, and during the repast an informal conversation elicited the fact that the delegates had been much impressed with the agricultural capabilities of the district, for which they predicted a most prosperous future if only the proper class of men could be got to settle there and develop those resources and capabilities. It was not all dry agriculture that was discussed; the delegates are largely men of education and refinement, and the charming scenery of the country, seen even at such disadvantage, was not lost upon them. They were to have gone away last evening, but were prevented doing so owing to the non-arrival of the Yosemite. They will leave by tomorrow morning's Islander instead.

On the way home the party visited Mr. Bryant's farm on the East Road, and inspected his crops of cereals, wheat, oats, barley and peas, with which the delegates were much pleased, pronouncing the fall wheat equal to the best English wheat. They were served with some dark colored grapes of a superior quality and delicious taste.

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On Talking Slang.

This "sermonette" is especially for you, dear girls. The advice could be [illegible] say once in a lifetime—when a good sound bit of the genuine article "slang" would prove funny. But to hear the vulgar words used by a gentle girl is almost invariably shocking. I remember passing two girls in the street, and hearing one of them say, "I'll bet you a quarter." It gave me a shiver. And when a group of school girls fill their conversation—as, alas! they often do—with one slang phrase after another, the effect on an outsider is painfully disagreeable. The habit of talking slang grows rapidly. Have you ever noticed if you say an unkind word against a neighbor, how quickly a chance comes to say another? And with just that same appalling ease a habit of using careless, coarse words increases. Weeds grow rapidly. There is plenty of good, strong English to give expression to wit, drollery, indignation or sympathy, without recourse to the phrases which belong to horse jockeys, gamblers, tipplers and vagabonds.—Harper's Young People.

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Land Registry office, Victoria 27th Sept. 1890. oc14-1m

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H. DALLAS HELMCKEN, Acting Registarar General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria October 14th 1890.

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Lot 459, Victoria City.

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THE CHIEF JUSTICE AT IT AGAIN.

If the Chief Justice, Sir MATTHEW BAILLIE BEGBIE, would pardon the use of the phrase, we would say, in respect to his remarks on Friday night on the press reports on the contempt of court case against Captain DIXON, that he is once more "off his eggs." But the Chief Justice, perhaps, is disinclined to pardon anything, and as the press is his special aversion, it is not probable that he would forgive the use of language so much at variance with the undefiled English used on the Supreme Court bench of British Columbia. We will not, therefore, adopt the expression; it will be sufficient, perhaps, to say, that Sir MATTHEW was misinformed in regard to what has appeared in the TIMES about the case in question. It is not likely that he ever read the paragraphs which he characterized as untruthful and a contempt of court. The facts, as gathered by a reporter, were published as news and were not, in our opinion, calculated to prejudice the proceedings then pending. If Sir MATTHEW or the Attorney-General are able to point out in what respect the press has erred, they will be doing something towards preventing a repetition of the offence. If they fail to do so, their remarks will be estimated at their proper value by the public. We can assure both the Chief Justice and the Attorney-General that the people are heartily sick of these unwarranted aspersions on the press.

ARTESIAN WATER.

If irrigation is not a paramount question with this province, what is? This admitted, what objection can there be to the Government appropriating liberally to ascertain the best methods to bring it about? We are at loss to understand the attitude of the News in this matter. It admits the desirability of irrigation, but it complains of the expense. Is there any sense in such an attitude as this? Does the News expect that we can find out whether irrigation by artesian wells is practical or not without paying for it? It does not require a critical survey of the situation to realize that any other method of irrigation than by artesian wells can only be had at an immense cost. We have no hesitation in saying that British Columbia has no agricultural areas large enough to justify the outlay required to introduce water on them by the ordinary method of fluming and ditching. In the aggregate British Columbia has considerable arable land, but it lies in detached portions of small areas, seldom large enough to warrant the expense of the introduction of water by the ordinary method. Clearly, therefore, if we would have irrigation some other system must be employed. Now, what other than the system of artesian wells seems practicable? If these are not practicable no other system is, and we take it, that no reasonable expense should be spared to ascertain their utility. We should be inclined to think that if artesian water cannot be had on the Thompson River it cannot be had anywhere in British Columbia. Nevertheless, the experiment should be prosecuted thoroughly. Let it be ascertained whether artesian water can be had at all. While we still adhere to our statement that the ordinary farmer can scarcely afford to bore for water at a greater depth than 500 feet, there are a good many land owners and stock men in British Columbia who would bore a thousand or fifteen hundred feet for water if they thought they could strike it. This question of boring for water is not so much a question of cost with a good many as it is a question whether water can be had at any price. We could mention half a dozen stock men who would give $10,000 for a flow of water that would irrigate a hundred acres. The stock man, who in a severe winter loses a thousand head of cattle for the want of hay, will scarcely decline to bore for water though he has to go down 5000 feet and at a cost of $25,000, if he thought the flow of water would be commensurate. The annual loss of live stock in this province for the want of hay foots up in the aggregate to a tremendous sum. Let the Government demonstrate whether artesian water is possible at any depth within reason. The effect of this knowledge could not be otherwise than beneficial. It would either stop agitation in the matter or it would set on foot an enterprise as valuable to the stock man as to the agriculturist.

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Our contemporary, the Westminster Truth, in taxing the Opposition press with being factious and unpatriotic in their treatment of the artesian well question, simply promulgates a falsehood. The Opposition press, as represented by the TIMES, has not failed to reprehend the slowness of the Government's operations, but at the same time it has rebuked the Advertiser and it has dissented from the extreme views of the Columbian. The TIMES regards irrigation of so much importance to British Columbia that it is impatient of a policy that lags without visible reason for it. The TIMES has criticised without stint the Government's slothful policy in relation to the carrying on of artesian well experiments, and it is more than certain that these criticisms are well founded. If the Government can produce a solitary practical man who is willing to endorse the Government's management of artesian well-boring, we will withdraw our criticisms. The Government, however, cannot produce that man, or they would have done so. It is not reasonable to presume that the Government would remain silent under the charge of incompetency if they thought they could prove successfully to the contrary. Criticism, therefore, as relating to the Government's laggard movements in respect to the prosecution of the artesian well enterprise, is perfectly legitimate. Indeed, had the Opposition press failed to note the omissions of the Government in this respect, it would have been derelict in its duty to the public. The Colonist does well to quote a subsidized brother. The duty of the Colonist is to undertake to justify the Government if it can, not by statments that are false on their face, but by statements founded on reason. If the Government can give a reasonable excuse for their slowness in the matter in question, we should very much like to have them throw it in sight.

CORRUPT PRACTICES AT ELECTIONS.

"The political leaders of West Virginia, Democrats and Republicans, have united in an effort to carry out the rigid law of the state against the use of money in elections. This law forbids, under heavy penalties, any candidate from hiring any men to work at the polls; from paying the expenses of delegates to conventions; from hiring any one to solicit votes, and, in short, from using money in any way except to pay the expenses of the public speakers and the circulation of literature. About the only legitimate field left them at election times is to set 'em up for the boys."

This law will work something like prohibition, or like the Canadian election laws, that is to say it will not work well. If the electorate are not self-respecting enough to resent being badgered by a gang of political harpies, such a law had as well be scratched off the strtute books, for means will be found to circumvent it. The trouble with the electorate is, not their dishonesty or want of patriotism, but the low estimate they put on themselves individually as factors of the body politic. Many a man sells his vote, or allows himself to be unduly influenced as the consequence of this impression. "O," he says, "one vote does not amount to much." He forgets that the politician has been through the neighborhood "fixing" numbers of these one votes until they aggregate enough to give him the victory. The right of suffrage is a heavy responsibility. No man who values the welfare of society can afford to neglect the opportunity to vote, and to cast it according to his best intelligence. Every man should feel that the suffrage entails upon him the necessity of an acquaintance with public affairs, not from the stand point of a partisan, but from the broadest possible point of view. Until men fully realize their individual value as voters, and vote, not because they can, but as a duty, democratic institutions will be more or less a failure. A law prohibiting electioneering as carried on in Virginia is like attempting to heal a sore by outward applications which has its origin in the blood. Raise the standard of the electorate, let them be made to fully understand the responsibility which rests upon them as voters, and no laws will be required to prevent the politician from employing questionable methods to attain their ends.

IN A PREDICAMENT.

The signs are that the leverage of ecclesiasticism is to be used to dislodge the solid rock of home rule in Ireland. Every five years it is the custom of the Archbishops of Ireland to assemble in Rome, a proceeding not entailing any special significance. In this instance, however, they have been commanded to bring their senior suffragan bishops with them, and this is construed as having special reference to the future policy of the Vatican in relation to Irish affairs. The London Star assumes, in fact, that it augurs a final effort of the Vatican to assist the Tories at a critical time. The elections are near, and prompt measures are necessary to assist Lord SALISBURY. The Vatican [illegible] est requires the maintenance of the Tories in power, there being no likelihood that a Liberal Government would continue the negotiations now pending. Besides, as accounting for the espousal of the cause of the Salisbury Government the advisers of the Pope bitterly resent the refusal of the Irish party to take its policy from Rome. There is also another feature which adds color [illegible] support to Salisbury. It is stated on authority that the Pope would refuse to receive O'BRIEN and DILLON if they should visit him, which of course, is tantamount to his disapproval of their actions. While there is much to disapprove of in the "plan of campaign," it is difficult to understand why the Pope should elect to throw his influence on the side of the Tories. He has nothing to gain from it, and everything to lose. He should know that SALISBURY is only making a cat's paw of him, and he should know further, that he cannot afford to alienate the Irish wing of the church of which he is the head. O'CONNELL's famous epigram, "We will take our religion but not our politics from Rome," has in respect to Ireland, at least, sunk deeply into the Irish heart. The Irish already have made manifest their unwillingness to take their politics from Rome, and unquestionably if the Pope endorses SALISBURY in his last effort to crush the Irish nationalists, he will have to go into the excommunicating business. We see no way for him to escape his position except by declaring that he will have nothing to do with British politics one way or the other.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

JOHN BURNS, the socialist leader in London, tells the laborers that their case would appeal more strongly to the sympathy of the people "if they should stop drinking and gambling and save a little money for a rainy day." Often, while the thrifty employer cannot afford to drink or gamble, his employes squander their earnings in these ways and so weaken their case in the eyes of honest men who would otherwise approve their demands. There is no improvement for the laboring class which does not contemplate habits of sobriety.

"Down on the border between Quebec and Vermont," says the Free Press, "some farmers own and cultivate land on both sides of the international boundary line. In fact some farms are partly in Canada and partly in the United States. A dispatch from St. Alban's, Vermont, relates that on Tuesday, the day after the McKinley bill came into force, a farmer residing near that place, whose lands extend across the boundary, found that his old turkey had made her nest over in Canada. He decided to bring the old bird back into the States with her nest and eggs. In doing so he was met by a customs officer and accused of smuggling both bird and eggs. He has given bonds, however, and appealed to the secretary of the treasury. Meantime, whether the government should finish the hatching of the eggs commenced in Canada and be responsible for the keeping of the old turkey and the result, is a question. The case is complicated at the best, since the duty on the eggs, under the new tariff, is five cents per dozen, while on the live fowl it is three cents per pound, but on the same fowl, killed and dressed, it is five cents."

Lieut. CLINTON R. MARSH, according to a reporter, who is veracious, of course, thinks it is a great mistake for the United States to build so many line-of-battle ships. In England and in Italy this style of ship has been found out to be worthless, as they are neither invulnerable nor capable of being handled with any great degree of precision. The millions and millions which Great Britain has spent upon these battle ships, says Lieut. MARSH, have only managed to produce inert masses of no more practical value than floating batteries. The Seattle Journal thus adverts to the Lieutenant's remarks: "It is a mystery to certain laymen why the Government goes blindly ahead, at the rate of $3,000,000 per ship, to contract for the very same quality of marine armed monsters which have been the butt of ridicule abroad for the past two years. The English admiralty office has been driven almost crazy by the castigation they have received at the hands of the press. In the naval manœuvres of recent date these monsters have been as hard to move as a June lover clinging to the garden gate under the moon. They just hang around, looking solemn and sleepy, like the fat boy in Pickwick." Let them build line-of-battle ships, we say, however bunglesome they may be. It keeps a lot of men at work, and men who are at work have no time or disposition to speculate over the philosophy of socialism.

THE GREAT NUISANCE.

TO THE EDITOR:—I have read with some curiosity the letter in your paper concerning the proximity of the demi monde to the Presbyterian church.

The class referred to certainly ought to be banished from the best part of town and the neighborhood of churches. It is quite bad enough that our sisters and wives should have to tolerate these women at the theatres and races, and why the jockey club and the manager of the theatre don't force them to keep a some part away from respectable people I cannot imagine.

The church question is, however, the most important. But why did not Mr. Macleod or his churchwardens buy a certain house next to St. Andrews? It was for sale for ten thousand dollars, and surely the church could raise that [illegible] infest our city, cannot the council do an act of public good by passing a bylaw to banish the demi monde to some hidden corner of the town?

A WOULD-BE CHURCH MEMBER.

THE COMING RACE.

TO THE EDITOR:—Kindly allow me once more to refer to your leaders on the above. In your first article you refer to their ability as warriors, and [illegible] expressed by Lord Wolseley, General Gordon, and others, as to their fighting abilities, I should not have disputed your article. A few years ago they had no arsenal for the manufacture of heavy guns, etc., now they have a very large one all complete, and the workmen are nearly all Chinese. No railway or telegraph lines were allowed in their territory, but they are now beginning to test and approve them, and capital is offered by the United States and Europe to build these through China, which is necessary for the successful movement of large bodies of troops. Have not Russia and China been growling at each other for years, but Russia is afraid. When England and France fought them in 1860 or 1861 they were not by any means prepared to meet them, but that was a lesson they have not forgotten, and now they have some of the most modern guns, mortars, torpedoes, and ships the world has ever produced.

What China needs, and is having, is our modern breech-loading rifles, as it is a well-known fact that infantry fire is most fatal. The power of China in case of war is in the vast numbers, quick movement and little baggage of her troops. They have few wants, are inured to hardship, and if they know how to use the guns, are as good soldiers as any others. Their success in battle would depend just as much on numbers, and quick movements, as upon heavy guns, for the troops cannot move faster than her heavy guns. France found to her surprise the tough job she had to suppress the Black Flags, a tribe supposed to be backed by China on the sly, and how could she have done it had she attacked China instead. When General Gordon attacked Kintang, the rebels fought with great bravery. As soon as a breech was made in the walls they crowded to the spot, and drove them back with stones, bricks, etc., and Gordon himself was badly wounded. You say they are not a progressive people. I think they have made great progress in the last few years. A few years ago they had no fleet; now they have a large one. Till lately they had European officers to take the principal commands; now they are discharging these, and replacing them with natives. It seems very strange that where the colonies are the most prosperous in the world and their workingmen the best paid, even the common laborer wishes to drive them from their shores. The restaurants and hotels cannot well do without them; as servants they are faithful; and, until they took a hand in gardening, vegetables, to the working class, were a luxury, now they are cheap and plentiful. Australia had the same experience. Now things are in good order, and the dirty work nearly over, we would treat them as "parasites," and expel them the country, and I suppose follow the example of the Yankees and shoot them down without mercy. If we use harsh measures I believe the vengeance of God will be upon us. I do not by any means recommend the removal of the capita tax, nor should we allow them to form colonies in our cities and towns. If they wish to form colonies let them have some tract of land now considered useless, and under their patient care it would soon yield and bloom. Is it not strange that few Chinamen are to be found in any other part of this continent except here, where wages are good. I think they would be a boon to the farmers of Ontario and the Northwest, who cannot afford to keep white help all the year round, and help is very scarce when wanted during the busy season. To my mind Protection is the parasite that is eating the life blood out of our country and not Chinamen.

FIAT JUSTITIA RUAT CŒLUM.

THE COMING RACE.

TO THE EDITOR:—Two correspondents with formidable signatures have lately appeared in your columns. One hides his identity under a Latin quotation pertaining to the need of justice being done; the other acknowledges himself an admirer of Chinamen. The arguments of both, however, indicates that the writers can have paid but slight attention to the Chinese of this city, for had "Admirer" but taken a trip through Chinatown, I venture to assert that he would no longer care to admire the Mongolians, for in his native den the Chinaman is not a cleanly nor delightful biped.

Both your correspondents seem to think a great injustice is done because Canadian merchants desire to sell to China markets, while Canadian law in a measure shuts out from these shores the great swarm of coolies which would, unless restricted, overrun us. I wish to say, sir, that there need be no worry on this point. The Chinese only buy our goods because they wish goods of that sort, and whether our ports were stringently closed or not, no difference would be made in the trade. Let me tell your pro-Chinese correspondents that the bland John hates with all his heart the white race, and only lives here to make a use of us and the land. If the pro-Chinese gentlemen will take a walk through Chinatown with me some evening I will show them how much the pagans affiliate with us. It is said the Chinese can be civilized. I doubt it. To use a street term, "they are not built that way." For countless generations have the Chinese remained in almost the same grooves. During the past few years it is true they have in their own country adopted a few European ideas, but the change is regarded with suspicion by the masses.

During a residence in China extending over three years, I had an opportunity to see the Chinaman as he is. The spectacle is not an inviting one. Their whole natures are different from a European's. Their tastes, habits, religion, and verily their physical make differs. The truth of the latter assertion is evident when the almond-eyes, and other distinctive features are noticed. Why, then, should the hordes

of coolies be allowed to feast on the fairest portion of the Dominion? Are there not enough white people to fill the ranks of labor? The Chinaman [illegible] Why, then, is he tolerated? The old answer. Because he is cheap. The capitalist cares not for Chinamen. Only the rate he can be procured to work at is considered. If that rate is lower than the rate demanded by a white man, then the Chinaman is at once clothed with all the virtues of a saint, and he is spoken of as the best kind of an addition to a country.

Fears have been entertained that the Chinese as a nation would in time become a [illegible] This will never be, simply because a Chinaman has neither energy or ambition. This lack of energy or ambition is also one of the reasons of their popularity among a certain class. The Chinaman as a drudge plods on and on. He is a mere machine. He is called industrious by his admirers, when in fact it is only a lack of energy or ambition that makes him stick to his work. He is said to be economical. He needs to be, for the wages he gets won't allow him to be otherwise, yet, from a Moagolian point of view, they have their dissipations and debauches. True the Chinaman don't get drunk like a white man, but they have other bad habits far worse.

Do you, sir, think, or can your correspondents think that Victoria is benefitted by her Chinatown? Is it not likely that if every yellow face was cleared from our shores that the wheels of commerce and trade would revolve more freely? Look at Seattle and Tacoma. Watch the tremendous leaps they are taking in the march of progress. Contrast their advancement with that of San Francisco, which fed by one of the richest regions on the continent, grows but slowly. Seattle and Tacoma have no Chinese. San Francisco has. Contemplate for a moment the numbers of Chinese employed in and around Victoria, and then, Admirer, ask yourself, would it not be better if white men did the work. Do the Chinese patronize our stores; do they attend our theatres or churches; do they read our books, eat food such as we do, or act in any way as though they had an interest in the country? Hardly. Is it not likely that if Victoria had a population of 5000 more whites that the volume of trade would be better?

Oh ye admirers and lovers of the childlike and meek Mongolian, you should hie yourselves at once to China's shores, and I will warrant that in one short year you will despise the race as cordially as does. G. H. KERSHAW.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

The sealing schooner Lily is advertised for sale.

Work on the tug Pilot is being gone on with at the Star ways.

A gang of men from the Albion had the Kingston in hand yesterday.

Spratt's Ark brought in a big load of stone for the outer wharf yesterday.

The new scows for the dredger building at Turpel's yard, are nearly completed.

The freight by the Islander last night consisted principally of flour, nails and butter.

The schooner Lottie came in last night from Boundary bay loaded down with produce.

The steamer Umatilla arrived from San Francisco late last night with 130 tons for this port.

The Kingston brought over another big load of wheat on Saturday for the Victoria flour mills.

The steamer Belle arrived in yesterday and took two empty scows up to Westminster this morning.

The steamer Louise arrived from Westminster yesterday where she has been with Northern salmon for the Titania.

A gang of divers were at work on the steamer Olympian yesterday cleaning her up. She doesn't want the Kingston to beat her.

The new dredger will be thoroughly tried and tested this week, and will soon be set to work deepening at the outer wharf.

The steamer Rainbow arrived from Westminster yesterday with a big load of produce and will leave in the morning for Bute Inlet.

Coal charters are very brisk on the Sound, and vessels are hard to get. Lumber reports from Puget Sound ports are not brisk.

The steamer Mexico will not leave this port for Alaska until the 23rd inst. That will be her last trip as she is to be replaced by the Yaquina.

Steamer Isabel arrived on Sunday morning having been delayed by bad weather. She brought dow a lot of peas, oats and wheat from Saanich.

At the present writing there are twelve ships and steamers loading coal and waiting a turn at the Vancouver coal company's shutes at Nanaimo.

Steamer Yosemite was towed in last evening by the tug Lorne, being temporarily disabled by a leaky boiler. The break is not a serious one, and will soon be put right.

The crew of the C. P. N. steamer Danube, Capt. Walbran, signed articles at the custom house on Saturday. The steamer is now loading for the north at Spratt's wharf, and will leave to-morrow morning.

A cablegram was received on Friday by the officers of the Puget Sound and Alaska Steamship Company announcing the safe arrival at Rio Janeiro of the steamer City of Seattle, 23 days out from Philadelphia en route to this coast.

Lacrosse.

A meeting was held at Vancouver on Saturday by the Executive Committe of the British Columbia Lacrosse Association to consider the protest entered by Captain Taylor of the Vancouver Club against the last schedule game played between the New Westminster team and the Vancouver team being awarded to the New Westminster club on the ground that C. C. Stewart, one of the New Westminster team, was a professional, it being alleged that he ran a race at Whatcom for money. The Victoria members of the Executive Committee, Messrs. W. H. Cullin and C. B. Lockhart, were appointed the judges of the point at issue. Messrs. H. T. Quigley and A. E. Suckling for the Vancouver Club to press the charge, and Messrs J. A. Forin of Forin & Morrison, barristers and solicitors, New Westminster, and C. B Mackenzie represented the New Westminster Club [illegible] dence was taken on each side, which was summed up by the defendants and prosecution, but the decision has been reserved.

CARE FOR THE EYE.

A Simple and Effectual Means of Preserving the Sight.

People who have never had any trouble with their eyes can hardly appreciate [illegible] loss of this sense for a few days, week, a month, of a year—this is what brings clearly before the mind the fact that sight is indeed priceless. Ask the scholar who has injured his eyes by too close application to his studies, by long hours of burning the midnight lamp. His answer will be the same in effect as that of the mountaineer who has suffered the agonies of snow blindness. And people who overwork or abuse their eyes, or who meet with accidents, or whom poverty compels to engage in avocations which are injurious to the sight, are doing no more to shorten the time when they will have good use of their eyes than are those who by wearing cheap or improper glasses, are daily decreasing the term in which they will have sight. The blind manage to exist, but those who can see, certainly wish to preserve their sight as long as possible, hence they will not lose the opportunity they now have of securing a thorough scientific test of the eyes, and of getting fine glasses, properly fitted by the celebrated New York optician, Mr. F. D. Seward, whose office is over Cochrane & Munn's Palace drug store, corner of Yates and Douglas streets, opposite the Clarence hotel.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

J. W. McFarland of Vancouver is in the city.

Geo. Riley came down from Enderby last evening.

M. H. Cowan has returned from a trip to the Mainland.

Mr. M. J. Davis left on the Kingston last evening for the east.

Mrs. H. J. Cambie of Vancouver is spending a few days in Victoria.

F. M. Yorke, the stevedore, came down by the Islander last night.

Mrs. J. H. Cameron and Miss Gibson of Nanaimo are at the Oriental.

W. R. Bryant of the Vancouver coal company's office, Nanaimo, is in the city.

G. G. Bushby will return to San Francisco by the City of Puebla to-morrow.

W. F. Bryant, United States hull inspector of Seattle was in the city last evening.

G. W. Bullene, U. S. inspector of steamboats, of Seattle was in the city last night.

C. B. Lockhart was a passenger from the Mainland by the steamer Islander last night.

Mrs. Musgrave and Miss Bagg, of Salt Spring Island, are guests of Mrs. McDonnell.

Sir William Plowden, M.P. and Lady Plowden of England, are expected to arrive this evening.

C. M. Pratt, general passenger agent of the Minneapolis and St. Louis railway was in town yesterday.

Charles Kennedy, general agent, and Robert Keppler, travelling agent of the Albert Lea route, were in town yesterday.

Alexander Begg, business manager of the Seattle Telegraph was in the city yesterday. Mrs. Begg accompanied him.

George M. Reid, of London, Ont., arrived by the Islander last night. He is out on a business trip combined with pleasure.

S. M. Robins, of Nanaimo, W. E. Oosterhout, of Fairhaven, and E. J. Palmer, of Chemainus, were in town yesterday.

Fred C. Field and W. R. Pratt leave by the Isabel to-morrow for Maple Bay, where they propose having three months' shooting.

Mrs. W. McCarter and children of Seattle, who were visiting friends in Victoria during the past week, left for home this morning on the Olympian.

D. S. Freeman, travelling passenger agent of the Rio Grand road, and B. H. Garland, traveling agent of the Wabash R.R., San Francisco, left by last evening's Kingston.

Mrs. James Christie and Miss Carrie Christie arrived home last night by the Islander, after an extended visit to Nova Scotia. Whilst on the way home they met all kinds of weather, spring, summer, autumn and winter being encountered. At Winnipeg a heavy snow storm prevailed. In Nova Scotia they found Vancouver much talked of and familiarly known, while Victoria and New Westminster were almost unheard of, and much surprise was manifested when people in the east were told of the size, importance and solid growth of both cities. Victoria was considered by the Nova Scotians as an unimportant village.

Mr. Gladstone on Pork Eating.

In reply to a letter sent him by Mr. James Carter, coal and lime merchant, Blackburn, in reference to his articles on the Old Testament, suggested that he should treat upon the subject of diet, &c., as laid down by the law of Moses, before concluding his articles in Good Words, Mr. Gladstone has sent the following communication:

Dear Sir.—You have sent me a very interesting letter, which calls for, not your modest apology, but my thanks. In the course of Homeric work I have examined into the use of pork by the ancients, a very curious subject, and I shall make some reference to it in a closing paper on the Old Testament. I am under the impression that the dangers of it are specially connected with the heat of Southern climates. Yours very faithfully, W. E. GLADSTONE.

I remember that in Germany the Jews have a smaller percentage of colour blindness.

The man who received the contents of a gun in his brain had a load on his mind, no doubt.

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KAMLOOPS CULLINGS.

News Notes Clipped from the Inland Sentinel—Coming Winter.

On Monday night there was a fall of snow on the mountains adjacent to Kamloops.

A bell-tower is being erected over the Indian church on the reserve opposite town.

Superintendents Abbott and Marpole made a trip of inspection over the Shuswap and Okanagan Railway this week.

The new wing to the public school building was inspected by Government Agent Hussey this week, and pronounced ready for occupation.

The congregation of the church of England have this week had placed in the church a handsome combination organ.

A gentleman who has been spending a week in Nichola has returned to Kamloops, and he reports that winter is taking possession of the prairies and mountains.

Some would-be smart correspondent, in writing to the Colonist from here last Saturday, untruthfully states that "a man named Graham, who was in town during the fair, took a pull out of a bottle of poison, which he mistook for whiskey, and nearly died from the effects before medical relief arrived." The writer evidently alluded to the accidental poisoning of Mr. T W. Graham, but says nothing of Mrs. Graham, who was poisoned at the same time. The facts of the case are as follows, which were unavoidably crowded out of last week's issue: Mr. and Mrs. Graham visited Mr. and Mrs. Fortune on Friday night, and not feeling well were given a quantity of iodine and laudunum in mistake for Campbell's Cathartic Compound. The mistake was at once noticed and an antidote administered. Mr. and Mrs. Graham suffered considerably, but were not at any time in a dangerous condition, and are now as well as ever.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MR. B. B. Tyrwhitt Drake, Barrister-at-Law was on 1st August last admitted as a partner in the firm of Drake, Jackson and Helmcken which will hereafter as heretofore be carried on under the firm name of

DRAKE, JACKSON AND HELMCKEN.

Dated 13th October 1890. oc13-1m

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEPARATE AND BULK TENDERS WILL be received by the undersigned until Saturday, noon, the 25th Oct., 1890, for the erection and completion of a frame villa residence on lot 29, Esquimalt Road. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plans and specifications may be seen and any other informations obtained by applying to EDWARD McCOSKRIE & CO., Architects and Building Superintendents, Belmont Block, Yates street. oc16 td

MUNICIPAL.

TO CONTRACTORS.

All Contractors or Sub Contractors who have not already paid their Trades License, are requested to do so before the 31st inst., otherwise summonses will be issued to enforce same.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.

Victoria, Oct. 17, 1890. oc17-tf

Medical Council

EXAMINATIONS.

The semi-annual examination of the B.C. Medical Council takes place in the City of Vancouver, beginning on the 4th day of November next. Full information can be obtained by applying to

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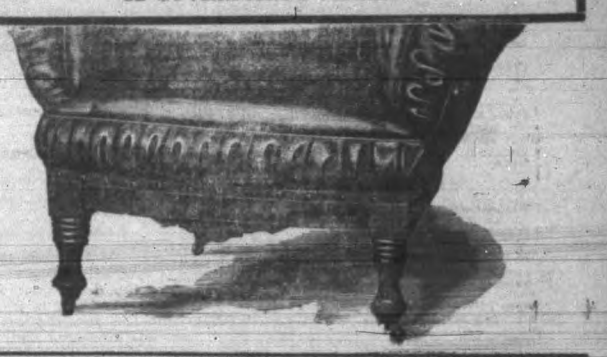

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SPORTING NOTES.

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The 100-yard amateur swimming championship of Great Britain was won at Liverpool a few days ago by W. Evans, of Manchester. The long-plunge championship was won by G. A. Blake, of London, who went 69¼ feet.

Kemp and Stansbury are to row two miles on the Paramatta to see which is the best man. Both leave Australia for America next month.

"Pegasus" in News of the world says that Beach asked to be taken out of his boat into the cutter when he rowed Gaudaur on the Thames, and that Tom Green, who acted as his coach, saved him from defeat by declining to accede to his request.

In "The Maister of Woodbarrow," one of the characters in the play is brought up for poaching, and when asked if he had taken a salmon unlawfully, he replies: "Oh, no! I 'ad a fly on the hend of a bit 'o line, maister, and was teaching the hinsect 'ow to swim, when afore I knew what were up a great fish caught 'old, and I couldn't shake him off."

Peter Jackson has been offered a $1,500 purse to go to Melbourne and stop Joe Goddard, the Barrier champion, in twelve rounds. The Sydney club offers $2,000 for the same contest, and the Olympic club has capped the lot by offering $2,500. Goddard will bet $250 that Jackson cannot do the job.

Charles G. Kilpatrick, of Danville, Ill., has challenged all one-legged bicycle riders of America to a race.

The Australians have discovered a new middleweight pugilist whom they are willing to back against all comers. His name is Owen Sullivan, and he won the middleweight championship by defeating Champion Jim Hall, of Sydney, recently.

The three fastest harness records in the world are the marks hung up Oct. 8, on the Terre Haute track, viz., the fastest stallion record, 2:11¼, the fastest mile ever paced or trotted in a race, 2:09¾, and the three fastest heats in a race, 2:09¾, 2:13¾ and 2:13. It was a perfect autumn day, with a gentle breeze and the track was very fast. The great attraction was the announcement that Nelson would go to beat Axtell's time, 2:12, made over this track last fall. About 3 o'clock the great Maine stallion appeared on the track driven by his owner and driver, O. H. Nelson, and was given a warming up heat to 2:23, the last quarter mile in 32. A quarter of an hour later the purple cap and jacket of the Pine Tree State horseman was again seen. The second time the word was given, with the stallion going smooth and strong with the runner back. The rate was deceptive, but the furlong being compassed in 16¾ was a pointer that a great effort was on. The watches split at 32 secs. at the first quarter, the half in 1:04¾, the horse going entirely on his courage. Now the runner quickened his stride and moved up, and with his ears laid back the great stallion caught the hoof beats behind him and another link was let out as he gamely fought against Father Time. He reached the three-quarter pole in 1:36¼ and as he swung into the turn another record had gone down. Cheer after cheer went up as he flashed under the wire in 2:11¼. The time by quarters was 32, 32¾, 31¼, 34¼.

Nickerson, the high jumper, formerly with the New Jersey A.C., won the running high jump at the New York fall games last Saturday, with 5 feet 9 inches. Hardly had the contest been ended when one of the N.Y.A.C. board of governors drew the winner to one side, out of the reach of a Manhattan man hovering near. There was a few minutes' consultation. Nickerson will wear the "winged foot" at the championship meeting at Washington on Saturday.

Mr. Joseph McClelland, who resides near Paris, Ky., has probably the model saddle stallion in the United States in Bourbon Chief, by Harrison Chief, dam by Latham's Denmark. He has been shown seventy-five times and won seventy-five premiums. Bourbon Chief is now barred at all Kentucky fairs, unless it be to contest for special premiums. He is but seven years old.

The noted brood mare, Naiad Queen, 2:20¼, by Champion, dam Tackey, by Pilot, jr., fell and broke her leg in the pasture of her owner, George G. White, near Paris, Ky., and may have to be killed. She cost her owner $5,200 by auction a few years ago.

Nashville is to have a new trotting track built on the kite-shaped plan. The track and the necessary buildings will occupy eighty acres on the Nolansville Pike, and the cost will be about $40,000. Street car lines will run from the city to the track, which will be opened next summer.

SOME GOOD COMES OUT OF NAZARETH.

"Mediator," writing in the New York Sunday World, says: "The Canadian championships were timed by a corps of timekeepers and by an electric timer. The watches and the electric register compared fairly well. The latter was never faster than the timekeepers except in one case, and as a rule a fraction slower. This latter discrepancy can be explained, as the timers would start their watches from the smoke of the pistol. The electric apparatus was started through the concussion or compression before the smoke would have time to spread from the mouth of the pistol, and at the finish the timers stopped their watches when the runners reached the tape, whereas the tape itself would stretch some inches before breaking the circuit. These two causes would make the electrical register slower than the watches, as it starts from the concussion, while the runners start from the report, which naturally follows the concussion. Of course these are small matters, but they tell in a one hundred yards dash. I, however, believe that the electric apparatus can be perfected to time with great accuracy. It seems peculiar that Canada should have inaugurated the system of timing at athletic meetings, and thus have taken the lead of the United States in the direction of enterprise."

TROTTING.

The race won by Maude C. in the 2:30 trotting heat has not been adjudicated upon by the Jockey Club yet. The driver of Vancouver Dan entered a protest at the close of the heat, and it is likely that the race will be run over again. Maude C. is in good shape for such an event, and Vancouver Dan does not give any promise of coming short of the standard reached by him on the [illegible] track.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Umatilla from San Francisco—R C Withrole and wife, A Borden, D Roberts, Lee Neu Poy and wife, Miss Lee, Mrs. Aunta.

Per Steamer Islander from Vancouver—C C H Wetzell, C Holmes, F M Yorke, James McInnes, G W Bullene, S Kelley, E O'Rourke, C S Windsor, W A Russell, J Tiffiney, Mrs H J Cambie, J W Johnson, H Sneldon, John F Smith, James Crawford, W Christie, Robert Day, D McPhee, W T Slavin, Mrs McFarland, F W Vincent, Geo Reily, C B Lickhart, Mrs St Johnson, [illegible] Miss St Johnson.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer Umatilla from San Francisco—A Bigger, A De Brassy, A W Wright, Brackman & Ker, Braden & Stamford, Boucherat & Co, Brown & Wilson, J J Robson, Carne and Munsie, J W Rogers, J H Hamilton, J Morley, Colbert & Warner, D N Ross, Douglas and Davidson, Din Yet Song, E G Prior & Co, E B Marvin, Edward Nevill, G Rudge, G W Biggar, G North & Son, G H Blakeway, Hudson's Bay Co, Hin Yick, J & A Clearihue, J Harding J Barnsley, J H Todd & Son, J Sehl, Johnson W Flett, J Canning, Lua Kee, Marvin & Tilton, Nicholles & Renouf, Order B & R, Order A V, Order W, P McQuade & Son, R V Winch R Borthwick, R J Ferguson, R P Rithet, Rev D Holmes, G P Armstrong, R Baker & Son, S Leiser, Spratt & Gray, S Gray, Sing Tai, Thos Earl, The N V C N L Co, T Garvin, Tai Fong, Tolmie & Stenart, W H Kenniston, W Teitjam Wells Fargo Co.

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A Warning.

MR. EDITOR,—It is a well-known fact that the majority of people are inclined to look upon a cold in the head as a matter of little importance—involving at the most only a temporary inconvenience. No more disastrous mistake was ever made. The neglected cold in the head is the source of the catarrhal affections with which about seven-tenths of the people of this country are afflicted, and catarrh itself is too often the preliminary stages to consumption and death. The symptoms of catarrh are manifold, but among them may be mentioned, offensive breath; dull, oppressive headache; offensive droppings from the nostrils into the throat and bronchial tubes; deafness or partial deafness; constant hawking and spitting; weak and watery eyes; a hacking cough and feeling of general debility; ringing in the ears and frequent dizziness. These are but a few of the more general symptoms, and those who experience them should lose no time in applying a remedy. Delays are proverbially dangerous, and in the case of this too prevalent disease may lead to death. We offer Nasal Balm to the public as a positive cure for cold in the head and for catarrh in all its forms and stages. Nasal Balm has been tested in thousands of cases, and the testimonials in our possession prove that it is all we claim for it. It has cured other sufferers, it will cure you. It is easy to use, pleasant and agreeable and does not require a douche, or any torturing instrument to apply it. Give it a trial and be convinced of its great efficacy. Sold by all dealers or sent post free on receipt of price 50c. for small or $1 for large size bottles by addressing Fulford & Co., Brockville, Ont. d&w

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RAILWAYS.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.
TIME TABLE NO. 12.
To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Saturday, October 11th, 1890.
Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

Stations	Going North, Read Down: Miles from Victoria	No. 2 Passenger Daily	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Mon.	Going South, Read Up: Miles from Wellington	No. 1 Passenger Daily	No. 3 Passenger Sat. and Mon.
VICTORIA		De. 8:00 A M	De. 2:30 P M	78	Ar. 12:21 P M	Ar. 5:38 P M
RUSSELL'S	1	8:08	2:34	77	12:20	5:34
ESQUIMALT	4	8:14	2:46	74	12:10	5:24
GOLDSTREAM	11	8:3[illegible]	3:09	67	11:45 A M	5:19
SHAWNIGAN LAKE	25	9:15	4:04	53	10:50	4:24
COBBLE HILL	31	9:44	4:14	47	10:40	4:11
McPHERSON'S	35	9:57	4:29	43	10:27	3:56
KOKSILAH	38	10:07	4:39	40	10:17	3:49
DUNCAN'S	40	10:13	4:44	38	10:12	3:44
SOMENOS	43	10:22	4:54	35	10:02	3:34
CHEMAINUS	52	10:35	5:16	26	9:36	3:12
NANAIMO	73	Ar. 11:30 / De. 11:36	6:14	5	De. 8:34 / Ar. 8:25	2:14
WELLINGTON	78	Ar. 12:14 P M	Ar. 6:29		De. 8:10	De. 1:50

ON SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS AND MONDAYS
Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return not later than Monday evening.
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STEAMERS.
Tacoma-Victoria Route.

Leave Tacoma	†4:00 a.m.
Leave Seattle	10:00 a.m.
Leave Port Townsend	1:30 p.m.
Arrive Victoria	†4:00 p.m.
Leave Victoria	†6:00 a.m.
Leave Port Townsend	10:00 a.m.
Leave Seattle	2:00 p.m.
Arrive Tacoma	†4:15 p.m.

Port Townsend-Port Angeles Route.
Lv. Port Townsend 2 p. m. | Lv. Port Angeles 5 a. m.
Arrive Pt. Angeles 6 p.m. | Ar. Pt. Townsend 9 "

Tacoma-Seattle Route.
Leave Tacoma—†8:00 a.m.; 12:00 m.; *7:45 p.m.
Leave Seattle—*4:30 a.m.; †2:00 p.m.; *4:30 p.m.
Boats leaving Tacoma 12:30 p.m., and Seattle at 9:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. land at Des Moines.

Seattle-Olympia Route.

Leave Seattle	†4:30 p.m.	Leave Olympia	†7:00 a.m.
Leave Tacoma	7:30 p.m.	Lv. Steilacoom	9:00 a.m.
Lv. Steilacoom	9:00 p.m.	Leave Tacoma	12:00 m.
Ar. Olympia	†11:00 p.m.	Arrive Seattle	†2:30 p.m.

—†Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only. *Daily.

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Stopping at all way landings.
Steamer leaves Seattle daily, except Saturday, for Whatcom at 11 p.m. Arrives at Whatcom daily, except Sunday, at 9 p.m.
Leaves Whatcom for Seattle daily, except Saturday 8 p.m. Arrives at Seattle daily except Sunday, 3 p.m.
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The Daily Times.

CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

A SCHEME PROPOSED

By Which the Harbor of Victoria Can be kept Deepened.

A gentleman of Victoria, who has considerable knowledge of maritime matters, speaking to a TIMES reporter to-day, said that one effective way to [illegible] narrow strip of land which separates the head waters of the Gorge from the upper waters of Esquimalt harbor.

Only a distance of about 200 yards would have to be dug through to establish communication, and it is maintained that thereby a current would be established which would thoroughly scour the harbor from all silt and deposits. The scheme may be a good one, and should be considered more fully. It is certain that no better deepener is known than the constant action of a current of water, and it is also known that the tides here sweep along with great swiftness. The experiment would not be a very expensive one.

A MANGLED BODY.

Thomas Roberts, a Half-breed, Run Over on the C. P. R. and Killed.

Early on Monday morning, says the Kamloops Sentinel, as track watchman Lightside was proceeding westward along the line of the C. P. R., he was horrified to find the mangled remains of a man lying on the track, at the crossing leading to the ferry west of the town, a head with upturned face beside a pool of blood at one point, while a little further on the trunk, with mangled limbs, lay in a heap. When day dawned the ghastly evidences of the accident could be seen along the track eastward for a quarter of a mile, beginning at the first trestle bridge in the west part of the town, from which point to where the body was found the ballasting inside the rails had been disturbed by the dragging of the body over it, while here and there pieces of the unfortunate man's coat were found. Coroner Clarke was notified, who had a jury summoned and an inquest held over it. It was ascertained that the body was that of Thomas Roberts, a half-breed, of Lytton, who spent a term in jail for supplying Indians with liquor, and after his release had been working on the Shushwap road. He had been seen on the previous night in an intoxicated condition by several persons, and had said that he intended going home that night.

PACIFIC MINING COMPANY.

Application for Amendment Extending Business to This Province.

In the High Court of Justice (Chancery Division) London, Eng., before Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams, an application was made to sanction the amendment of the memorandum of association of this company extending its objects in accordance with the provisions of the Companies (Memorandum of Association) Act 1890. The Company was registered in 1888 for the purpose (*inter alia*) of acquiring mines in "the United States of America," and of raising and selling "ores, metals and minerals." It has never commenced business, and no shares had been allotted, the only members being the subscribers to the memorandum of association. An offer having been made for the sale to the company of an emerald mine in British Columbia, a special resolution was passed by the Company under the above act altering the memorandum of association (1) by striking out the above words "the United States of" and (2) by inserting the words "gems and precious stones" before the words "ores, metals, and minerals."

The learned judge said he had come to the conclusion that he could, without doing violence to the meaning of the Act, sanction the striking out of the words "the United States of America," but not the insertion of the other words desired. He thought it was never intended that a Company formed for one purpose should by this Act of Parliament give itself power to undertake something totally distinct from that original purpose. He considered, however, that the enlargement of the area only of the Company's business was permissible under the Act, and if another resolution was passed (restricted in the manner suggested) he would approve it.

The Fishery Laws.

The Deputy Minister of Fisheries for the Dominion has issued a neat little card giving a resume of the fishery laws of the Dominion of Canada. The close seasons in each province are set out in tabulated form, and the following synopsis of the laws on the subject generally is given:

Net fishing of any kind is prohibited in public waters, except under leases or licences.

The size of nets is regulated so as to prevent the killing of young fish. Nets cannot be set or seines used so as to bar channels or bays.

A general weekly close time is provided in addition to special close seasons.

The use of explosive or poisonous substances for catching or killing fish is illegal.

Mill-dams must be provided with efficient fish passes. Models or drawings will be furnished by the department on application.

The above enactments and close seasons are supplemented in special cases, under authority of the Fisheries Act, by a total prohibition of fishing for stated periods.

All communications relating to fisheries should be addressed to the Deputy Minister, Department of Fisheries, Ottawa.

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To Be Taken to San Juan.

A little oatmeal mill, which ran for several years, has been taken down and shipped to San Juan island, where it will be used in the future. The machinery, which is composed of an engine and boiler, and sets of stones and sifters, is lying on the wharf ready to be shipped by the City of Kingston.

The Late Col. Carleton.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the residence of Geo. A. Carleton over the remains of that gentleman's father, Col. Geo. N. Carleton, who died a few days ago. Services were conducted by Rev. A. Beanlands, in the presence of a large number of ladies and gentlemen, friends of the deceased, after which the funeral cortege was formed and proceeded to the C. P. N. wharf, where the body is lying, awaiting passage to Portsmouth, New Hampshire, where it will be buried in the family vault. The remains will be accompanied east by Geo. A. Carleton. The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers yesterday: Jas. Fell, D. McKay, Geo. Richardson, M. Miller, J. H. Meldrum and Henry Waller.

A Useful Association.

The employees of the C. P. R. at Donald have organized a branch of the St. John's Ambulance Society of England, under the direction of Dr. W. B. Campbell. The society is for helpful and charitable purposes, and to afford a knowledge of elementary and rudimentary surgery, to enable any one of its members to act with intelligent promptness in affording temporary relief, should occasion arise, to persons injured in accidents, until such time as medical assistance can be procured. The objects of the Society, Dr. Campbell contends, were no more prominently brought out than in this country, where owing to the scattered population, it was often impossible to get a doctor without considerable delay, and the proverbial delay was proverbially dangerous. With these objects in view literature bearing on the subjects, given in clear and simple language instructions as to how to act in emergency cases will be distributed free.

Round the World for £120.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company is losing no time in placing its new Pacific steamers at the service of the traveling public. The first of the new armed cruiser steamships, the Empress of India, is to be despatched from England on or about January 15th next to take up its station on the Pacific. The route is to be from Liverpool, Southampton or Plymouth, calling at Marseilles or Naples, Alexandria, Port Said or Ismailia (with sufficient time allowance to make a trip to Cairo and the Pyramids), Bombay, Colombo, Penang, Singapore, Hongkong, Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobi, and Yokohama, Victoria, Vancouver, thence by Canadian Pacific Railway to New York, Boston, Montreal, Quebec, or Halifax, the passengers having choice of Atlantic steamers from any of these ports to Great Britain. The high-class equipment of these new vessels has been described in detail in our columns, and it cannot be doubted that everything that human ingenuity can devise is being done to secure the safety and comfort of passengers.

The Duke of Wellington.

Among the passengers by the Islander last evening were several blue jackets, who came out from Portsmouth via the C.P.R. to do duty on this station. Several of them were from H.M.S. Duke of Wellington, which now lies alongside the Victory in Portsmouth harbor, and is, like the latter, being used as a training ship. The Duke of Wellington was launched about 1853, at which time she was considered the best battle ship afloat, carrying 131 guns. It was during the Crimea that the English government commenced to build her, and a gentleman in this city, who lived at the dock where she was built, says he remembers well how the boys used to talk of how they would clean out all Russia with her. She was sent to the Baltic as flagship, on which station she served until released by the modern ironclads. At first she was to have been named the Windsor Castle, but the Duke of Wellington dying just previous to her launching, they named it after him. Thus there lies in Portsmouth harbor, alongside of one another, two ships connected with two of England's greatest warriors, Nelson's Victory and the Duke of Wellington.

Canadian Pacific Shares.

The very extraordinary fluctuations which have recently taken place in Canadian Pacific shares appear to be almost wholly due to a combination of general conditions adverse to speculative holders for the rise, and scarcely at all to circumstances local to the railway itself. It is true that wheat is this year two weeks later in getting on to the railway than it was last year, and that in consequence the traffic returns for the second half of September are comparatively poor; but the grain traffic is only delayed, not lost; and this year the export from the Canadian Northwest is expected to be quite twice what it was last year, and as the price of wheat is much higher, the railway will be getting, we may be sure, better rates of freight.

We are not concerned in mere speculators for the fall or rise; but, for the sake of permanent holders of Canadian Pacific shares, we regret to see fluctuations such as have recently occurred. There is, of course, no remedy, however much one may condemn the expedients to which the rowdy bullies of the American market resort in a time like the present to scare holders out of their stock, expedients too often more suited to the turf than to the London Stock Exchange.—Canadian Gazette, Oct. 2.

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SOON IT WILL BE TOO LATE.

I have been troubled many years with disease of the kidneys and have tried many different remedies and have sought aid from different physicians without relief. About the 15th of April I was suffering from a very violent attack that almost prostrated me in such a manner that I was bent over. When I sat down it was almost impossible for me to get up alone, or to put on my clothes, when kind Providence sent Dr. Henley, with the OREGON KIDNEY-TEA, to my hotel. I immediately commenced using the tea. It had an almost miraculous effect, and to the astonishment of all the guests at the hotel, in a few days, I am happy to state, that I was a new man. I will recommend the tea to all afflicted as I have been.

G. A. TUPPER,
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CLARA MORRIS, TO-NIGHT.

The Great Actress Will Play Camille, and Renee de Moray.

[illegible] reserved for "Camille" to-night, so that notwithstanding the inclement weather Miss Morris will make her debut in Victoria before a large and fashionable audience. Only rarely is the opportunity presented to see so great an artiste, and it is anticipated that two notable gatherings will witness her performances of "Camille" and "Renee de Moray." Miss Morris possesses an element of success that few people can ever attain. She unites art and heart. In her both are blended, and where one controls the other assists. Greatness is not a word great enough to describe Clara Morris. She is matchless, indescribably grand. Possessed of the grace of the late Matilda Heron, and the fire and soul of Bernhardt, she has other feelings of grandeur that either of those named or both could never attain. She absorbs herself in her work. It was Camille, not Clara Morris, that suffered and sighed and raved and died. She is as completely lost to her own personality on the stage as if nature for the time being had deprived her of reason. Hence her power. She is so natural and easy in the portrayal of character that it is almost impossible to believe that she is a mere artiste. The lowering of the curtain only reminds people that they are in a theatre, and that they are weeping for artificial woe. But is Clara Morris' woe artificial? Surely not. Her tears are as genuine as ever crept from the fountain of a saddened heart. Criticism of her acting would only be absurd. She is away beyond criticism, and the critics of the future have to adopt her as a standard. Her voice, her manner, her actions are simply the exquisitiveness of perfection, and it is only to be regretted that her art and heart cannot live forever. Several theatre parties have been formed for Tuesday night, who will witness the play, and afterwards attend the ball at Government House. For this reason the curtain will rise promptly at eight o'clock on that evening.

Business Change.

The old established grocery business carried on under the firm name of G. & J. Doughty has been purchased by Mr. G. E. Hawes, who was formerly connected with J. P. Mattews & Co., but who has been for some time in business on his own account.

Pleasant Outing.

Five cents will pay car fare to Victoria West to-morrow afternoon, to the sale of work in aid of the new Presbyterian church building fund. Visitors from the city should not miss the pleasant outing and the opportunity of aiding, however little, a deserving enterprise.

Discharged C Battery Men.

Up to the present time forty men of C Battery have taken their discharge, leaving the present strength of the Battery 44, officers included. Only nine of the original C Battery that came from the east have re-enlisted. The majority of the forty who took their discharge have gone east, a few are in the Nanaimo mines, and a few remain in the city.

Remanded.

The case of Robt. Lewis, charged stealing $106 from the second engineer of the steamer Rainbow, came up in the police court this morning, when the evidence of the prosecutor was taken. He deposed to having left the money in his room in the morning and missing it in the evening. The prisoner was in the room during that time. The case was remanded until to-morrow.

A Pack of Wolves.

Last evening a party of Victoria hunters, who had been on a shooting trip up Shawnigan way, ran across a pack of wolves near the Summit. There were twelve or fourteen of the animals in the lot, both black and gray ones. They were fired upon by the hunters, but none were brought down although one or two were hit. Old hunters say that it is not usual to see gray and black wolves running in packs together.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

Borne to the Grave.

The funeral of the late Thos. Gorrie took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence, Fort street, at 2:30, the funeral services being conducted in the house by the Rev. Dr. Reid. The members of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society and a large number of the friends of the deceased, among whom were most of the '58ers, followed the remains to Ross Bay cemetery, their last resting place. The pallbearers were Ald. Robertson, Robt. J. Russell, W. Lorimer, A. Tolmie, N. McCartney and Jas. Burns.

True Christianity.

Rev. Mr. Macleod had an earnest and attentive congregation last evening, and his sermon was well suited to his hearers. It was a masterly and earnest effort to show that the church of Christ was no established institution. Integrity of character, purity of heart and life, and a Christ-like example constituted the church of Christ. Christianity was a matter for the heart and could not be legislated upon or dictated by other authority than that found in the Scriptures. Everyone who walks in the law of Christ is a Christian, not because he belongs to any particular church or "sect," there are no sects, but because he obeys the voice of God and walks in His ways. The preacher looked and prayed for the fulfilment of the Word: "There shall be one Shepherd and one flock."

Thermometer at Cochrane & Munn's.

Temperature to-day, 60 deg.

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For a first-class shave or hair-cut go [illegible]

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Buy your cork soled boots at Erskine's, 132 Government street, corner Johnson.

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University Business.

Rev. D. Fraser, Dr. Powell, Inspector Wilson and J. S. Yates will leave for Vancouver in the morning to attend a meeting of the convocation committee in connection with university affairs.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Do not throw away your rubber boots, shoes, coats or gossamers, because they are torn or have a few holes worn in them. Remember they can be made as good as new by Geo. A. Shade, shoemaker, 23 Broad street, opposite Trounce Avenue. oct1-1m

A Letter that Speaks for Itself.

J. Myers, Esq., Victoria.

DEAR SIR:—To hasten the clearing out of my boot and shoe stock, at 74 Yates street, make a further reduction in the prices, and oblige yours resp.,

Nanaimo, Oct. 13. R. HILBERT.

North Pacific Industrial Exposition.

The N.P.R.R., in connection with the steamer City of Kingston, is now making a special round-trip rate of $12.50—Victoria to Portland and return—for the exposition. Tickets on sale at 82 Government street, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, good seven days from date of sale.

A Big Scoop.

The new dredge was at work off Turpel's ways this afternoon and good work she was doing too. About 150 lifts an hour were made, the big scoop coming up full every time. As about two cubic yards are taken up at each lift, it is readily seen that the quantity in a day will amount to hundreds of tons. The ease with which the mud is scooped up is most noticeable.

Y.M.C.A. Jottings.

Mr. H. E. Brown, general secretary, spent a busy day yesterday, commencing with the morning bible class at the rooms, and afterwards conducting service at Esquimalt.

The educational classes for the winter are now in full working order, the subjects being shorthand, music, drawing (architectural), and general education. The number of students is very encouraging to the teachers.

A Little Too Lively.

The police have during the last few days been complained to about proceedings that go on in an old barn on Broad street, near Yates. The place has lately been the rendezvous of Riley Robins and his gang, who have so often appeared in the police court. They collected there almost every night and after getting themselves and an Indian girl or two under the influence of liquor, would raise a row. The police, however, decided to put a stop to the proceedings, and on Saturday night officers Hawton and Irving raided the place and took several of the miscreants to the station. In the police court this morning they paid fines of $5 each, as did also several other drunks.

Chinese Cases.

There were three Chinese cases in the police court this morning, the first two being Chinamen who had seen fit to displease the sanitary officer by allowing filth to accumulate on their premises. Neither of them denied the charges and his honor gave them until to-morrow to abate the nuisances, after which they will be dealt with accordind to the health by-law.

The other Celestial was one who was charged with stealing $20 from an Indian. When the case was called, Chief Sheppard said there was no evidence against the Chinaman, and the case was dismissed. It is presumed that a settlement out of court was considered enough.

To Join Hands.

This evening at Nanaimo the marriage of Conductor A. G. Black, of the E. & N.R.R., and Miss Sadie Watkins, of Nanaimo, will be celebrated. The bride elect is a daughter of Mr. R. Watkins, of the Black Diamond city, and has hosts of friends there. Conductor Black is well known in that city and in Victoria, his universal courtesy to patrons of the road having made him popular with all classes. After the wedding the happy pair will take a honeymoon trip to San Francisco, taking the overland route. Mr. Black will also enjoy his first holiday for some time as well. He has been steadily employed for the past five years on the road, during which time an accident has never occurred on a train he had charge of. The many friends of both parties will wish the happy couple the best of good luck in the future, and it is to be hoped that their ties will be pleasant, and that the tracks of time will press lightly upon them.

The Cutch Laid Off.

The steamer Cutch, which was injured in a collision off Nanaimo on Friday night, has been taken to the Vancouver foundry for repairs. While she is laid up, which will be about two weeks, her place [illegible] taken by [illegible]

Fire at Wellington.

Messrs. Young & Beckle's store at Wellington, Northfield, was totally destroyed by fire early Saturday morning. The loss was about $7,000, with an insurance of $1,500. Had the weather not been very wet at the time, the fire would, no doubt, have spread, as there was no available fire apparatus, and the supply of water was short.

Running Smoothly.

Geo. Riley, of the firm of Larkin, Connelly & Co., contractors for the Shuswap and Okanagan Railway, came down last evening from the scene of operations. He reports splendid weather, which, of course, is in favor of an earlier completion of the work. Four hundred men are kept busy and everything is running smoothly.

To-night's Lecture.

At the Philharmonic Hall to-night Prof. Muller will give his popular lecture "Around the World in Two Hours," illustrated by lime light effects. The views will be projected by a powerful stereopticon on to a large screen. The latest mechanical effects are introduced, and the dissolving scenes are said to be beautiful and realistic beyond compare, one especially is Mount Vesuvius in eruption. And it alone is well worth the admission fee. The lecture is instructive, and to the young is a practical lesson in geography better far than those taught by books.

Steamers' Movements.

The C. P. N. steamer Danube will leave at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning for the north with a large freight and passenger list.

The steamer Rithet is to leave with freight only for Mainland ports to-morrow morning. This has been done on account of the large quantity of goods in transit which have accumulated on the wharves.

The steamer Princess Louise will take the Yosemite's regular trip to-morrow morning, leaving for the Fraser river at 7 o'clock.

The Beginning.

The Lord Bishop of Columbia laid the foundation stone of the new St. Barnabas church Saturday, at the corner of Cook street and Caledonia avenue. Even in the bad weather that prevailed there was a fairly large attendance. That locality was much in need of a place of worship for church people living there. The work is already under way, being ably and energetically conducted by the Rev. Mr. Taylor, who lately undertook the pastorate.

A Safe Burglary.

Capt. Wm. A. Pinkerton, the famous detective, says the safe burglary scene in "The Stowaway" is the most thrilling act ever shown on the stage. "I went to see the play last winter during its big run in Chicago," said Mr. Pinkerton, "and it was a treat to watch the spectators while the burglars were at work. I never witnessed such undivided attention from an audience as was accorded Hennessey and McCoy. Everybody was so deeply interested from the time the crooks made their appearance until the safe door was blown from its hinges, that while the burglar act really occupied but ten minutes time, it seemed to be fully an hour before it was concluded. Why, it was so quiet in the theatre that the dropping of a pin would have created a panic. It's the greatest scheme to draw money that was ever introduced in a play.

BIRTH.

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The Directors propose between now and 30th November next canvassing the city in sections, and as no direct appeal to the public has been made for nearly three years they confidently hope their call will be liberally met.

In the meantime supscriptions and donations by cheques or otherwise may be paid to the credit of the Institution at the Bank of British Columbia or to

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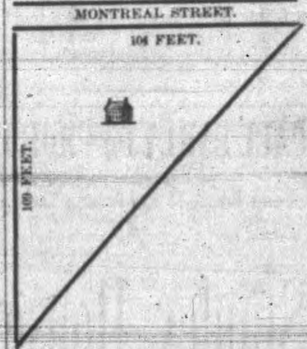

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